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Dear Sir:

In fulfillment of 37 CFR 1.97(c)(1) and 1.97(e)(1), it is hereby certified that each item of information contained in the Information Disclosure Statement filed May 10, 2010 was first cited in any communication (see the attached copy of the European Office Action dated March 26, 2010, which issued in a corresponding European Patent Application) from a foreign patent office in a counterpart foreign application not more than three months prior to the filing of this Information Disclosure Statement.

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